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Hon. Commissioner of Patents Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

Under the provisions of 37 C.F.R. § 1.97 through § 1.99, and being within the time constraints of 37 C.F.R. § 1.97 (c), and pursuant to Applicants' duty of disclosure under 37 C.F.R. § 1.56, Applicants respectfully bring the following documents listed on the form PTO-1449 attached herewith to the attention of the Examiner in charge of the above-identified application.

This citation of references does not, and is not intended to, constitute any admission that any of said references are material to the patentability of claims in, or any subject matter disclosed by, the present application. Instead, these references are only cited as related art of which Applicants are aware.

It is respectfully requested that these listed references be considered by the Examiner and formally made of record in this application.

Respectfully submitted,

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